

LOCAL ITEMS

About Our Town and Its People

Mr. and Mrs. Iverson and family of Rockford were Sunday guests of Mrs. Caroline Gais. Thomas Iverson was also in the company.

George Hechler returned from Ionia Saturday, where he had been stopping several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ecker. Mr. Hechler has lost the sight of his right eye entirely as a result of the injury he received while cutting brush last summer. He has sold his horse and buggy and is now alone in the world.

Thanksgiving sale on all trimmed and untrimmed hats. Your choice for One-Half price. Four days only—Saturday, November 24 to Wednesday, November 28, Stanton & Sabine.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Libbie Cornell, Mrs. Grace VanWinkle and Mrs. Laura Randall of Grand Rapids, all officials of the Daughters of Veterans, were entertained by Mrs. Elmer Wise over night, Friday. They returned home Saturday.

Wilbur Wood made a business trip to Grand Rapids Saturday. His wrist, which was injured in a fall last summer, is giving him considerable trouble, and he went there to consult a physician. Recently he had an x-ray taken of the injury and he thinks the seat of trouble may be located.

Mrs. Harry Brown and son have returned from the farm near Navawgo, and will reside here this winter. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Wells, accompanied her and they will move into a house in the Luther addition. Mr. Brown has been given a very lucrative and important position with a firm in Manistee.

Mrs. Peter Anderson and daughter, Mattie Anderson, left for Detroit Monday. Mrs. Anderson resides in Cadillac and accompanied her daughter to Detroit, where she is employed. Mrs. Anderson will return in time to attend the family gathering of the Berry and Knapp families Thanksgiving day.

Wortley & French's is the place to buy Mi-o-na stomach tablets, the guaranteed treatment for indigestion.—Advertisement.

Mrs. George Montague, who had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wesley Porter, returned home to Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williams returned Friday from Cadillac and Leroy, where they had been on a visit for a couple of weeks.

Geo. W. Pellett, a former teacher in the local school, spent Sunday with friends in town before leaving for Camp Custer training camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sargent returned home to Muskegon Saturday. They had been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Honeywell a few days.

Mrs. Fred Squiers, who had been here assisting through the sickness and death of Mrs. Sarah Squiers, returned home to Rockford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brown attended the big Red Cross meeting at Ernest Pinckney's in Keene Monday night and report a large attendance. Mrs. Callie Baugh, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for some time, left Thursday for Ionia and will soon leave for her home in Iowa.

Mark Brown returned Friday from his hunting trip in northern Michigan and brought with him a fine buck. Mr. Brown is having the head mounted in Freepport and will soon be showing his friends the hunting trophy.

Sunday visitors entertained by Mrs. Jennie Selleck at the home of her father, Ed. Osborne in Orleans were: Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Elkerton of Dowagiac, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sibert and Charles Thuston and mother of Greenville, Mrs. E. E. VanGilder and Mr. and Mrs. Arno Rich of Belding.

Frank McCracken of Flint was in the city over Sunday. He is moving his family to Maple Rapids where he expects to remain on his father's farm for a few months if not longer. His health is not good and physicians advised him to get out of factory work in order to recuperate.

Mrs. Kate Gibbs of Greenville has been the guest of Mrs. Emiline Wet-ter for several days during the past week. Sometimes women's complaints are imaginary; again they are a form of dreadful disease. In any event, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has helped thousands of women. It has relieved their constipation. Women swear by it 35c. H. J. Connell.—Advertisement.

Rev. J. Fred Iulig has returned from his hunting trip.

Mrs. C. J. Hicks and daughter, Mrs. H. Kohler, have returned from Ionia. Will Jenks and E. L. Brooks of Grattan have returned from their hunting trip. They captured their quota of deer.

Ms. Luther Fullington and daughter, Mildred, of Cedar Springs, motored here Saturday and spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. J. Weaver.

Donald E. Orth of Ronald township and Miss Ethel Chickering of this city were married this Wednesday at two o'clock by Rev. W. A. Biss at the Baptist parsonage.

Miss Edna Wise was in Camp Custer Sunday and reports an interesting time, seeing what cantonment life is like and meeting several of our soldier boys from Belding.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Altenburg and son were guests at the M. A. Chapman home Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Duffy, Mrs. John Myers, Mrs. Beatrice Carter, Mrs. M. Rich, E. B. Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. George Hagadorn, Mrs. Chas. Hagadorn, Mrs. Anna Mills, and Mrs. Floyd Green, the latter of Grand Rapids, were in Ionia Tuesday attending circuit court in connection with the Dan Hawley case.

Mr. Hawley was convicted of the charge against him and he was fined fifty dollars or thirty days in jail.

Herbert Noble and friend, W. Wheeler, arrived Saturday from London, Ontario to visit for the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Noble. Herbert is regaining good health gradually much to the happiness of his many friends.

Mrs. M. L. Willoughby and son are visiting in Grand Ledge this week. man home Tuesday.

The ladies of St. Joseph's Catholic church will hold a baked goods sale at the store of Miller & Harris Saturday afternoon, November 24.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Elizabeth O'Hara of Grand Rapids has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coon.

F. P. Hamman, W. H. Shaw and E. A. Chase are in Ionia this week doing jury work. They were all drawn in the Dan Hawley case, as three of the twelve to decide its merits.

Charles Murray returned from Detroit Monday, bringing home two Dodge automobiles.

John Emmons left for Camp Custer Monday. He had been home on a short furlough to visit his wife. Mr. Emmons enlisted in Homer and afterwards the family moved to this city.

Mrs. Susan Davis returned home to Ionia Monday, after a short visit with her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Noble returned home to Ionia Monday. They had been here to visit his parents over Sunday and met his brother, Herbert, and friend, Private Wheeler, who is his guest from London, Ontario.

F. A. Washburn spent Tuesday in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wells were guests of friends in Ionia Monday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Steere were called to Sheridan last Wednesday by the sudden death of the latter's mother, Mrs. Geo. Tow. They returned Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Tefft was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Wells last Thursday.

Mrs. M. A. Godfrey and daughter, Cora, went to Mount Pleasant Saturday and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hall. Mrs. Godfrey is making an extended visit there.

Mrs. Clie Hoover left Tuesday to take up her work in Kalamazoo as bookkeeper to the Peoples Outfitting Co. Mrs. Hoover was formerly in the same line of work in this place.

Frank O'Bryon is offering some choice Thanksgiving candy. Read his advertisement.

See O'Bryon for fresh buttermilk. Advertisement.

Fresh sweetmilk at O'Bryon's.—Advertisement.

Good piano with electric attachment for sale. See Frank O'Bryon.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Pearl Woodie of Douglas is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Rickle.

Mrs. Leo Gupl and son of Muir are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch.

Mrs. Morris Urch is a very little better.

Benjamin Jones of Battle Creek, 338 Regiment, Co. C, visited his sister, Mrs. Ralph Johnson and family, also his aunt, Mrs. Emma Wright, recently. He was on furlough.

Mrs. Alvah Dodds is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Knott Cobb spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. William Kennedy left Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Edith Watson of Grand Rapids for a few days. Little William Watson is quite ill, having undergone an operation very recently.

CHURCH CHOIR WILL GIVE SACRED CONCERT

The members of the Congregational choir will give a sacred concert at the church next Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The service will be public and should be attended by all music lovers. A good program has been prepared and it will be concluded in time for members of other churches to reach their early evening services.

The program as it will be carried out follows:

Choir—"Praise the Lord".... Watson Ladies' Chorus—"Jesus Thou Art Standing"..... Newton Duet—"Will You Go"..... Havens

Messrs. Helder and Wagner Choir—"The Sun Shall Be No More Thy Light"..... Woodard Male Quartette—"The Little Brown Church in the Vale"..... Messrs. Helder, Knapp, Kerr and Hockett

Organ—Offertory..... Miss Blair Pastor's Address—Subject..... "Religion of Song" Solo—"Battle Hymn of the Republic"..... Mr. Helder Choir—"Send Out Thy Light"..... Gounod Hymn..... "America"

Loyal Daughters, Junior Met The Loyal Daughters, Junior of the Church of Christ had a social afternoon at the home of Mrs. Delia Wright last Saturday. They enjoyed the day very much and pledged anew their loyalty to the order.

Ella Kiskey is the teacher of the class and met with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osworth and Miss Libbie and Mark Osworth were in St. Louis Sunday.



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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26.—GOLDWYN PICTURES present MAE MARSH in "POLLY OF THE CIRCUS."

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27.—MADGE EVANS in "THE LITTLE DUCHESS."

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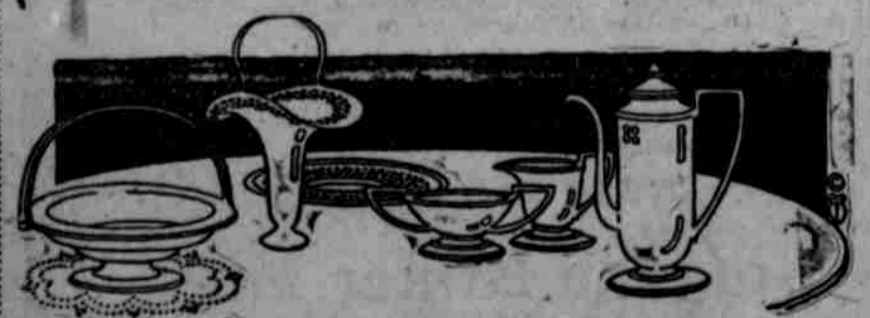


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